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In re Application of :
Keigo KITAJIMA : Patent Art Unit: 3654
Serial No.: 10/651,999 :
Filed: September 2, 2003 :
For: REEL UNIT FOR SPINNING REEL :

THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Sir:

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				x43 = \$	x86 = \$
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Assistant Commissioner of Patents
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Sir:

In response to the May 5, 2004 Office Action, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the *Listing of Claims*, which begins on page 2 of this paper. Claims 1, 3-9, 11-16 are pending, with claims 1 and 9 being the only independent claims.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.